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WEATHER FORECAST

Tonight and Tuesday unsettled.

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SALOON LITERATURE CANNOT BE SENT OUT

LAW STILL BARS SOLICITATION OF ORDERS IN DRY TERRITORY

COUNTY ATTORNEY IS ADVISED

Attorney General's Department At Austin Answers His Inquiry As To Matter

While local saloon keepers may ship liquor into prohibition territory for personal use, under the Allison law ruling, they are still barred from circulating printed matter the effect of which is to solicit orders. The attorney general's department at Austin, answering a query from County Attorney Bruce Greenwood, wrote him as follows:

"Hon. T. B. Greenwood, Wichita Falls, Texas. Dear Sir:

"Your telegram of December 28th asking to be advised if the department considers that the circulation of literature soliciting orders for sales of intoxicating liquors would be a violation of the law in view of the recent decision of the court of criminal appeals, received.

"We advise you that as we understand the decision of the court of criminal appeals, it in no way affects that part of the law which prohibits soliciting orders in dry territory. That provision of the law is in a section by itself and absolutely prohibits in any manner or for any purpose soliciting orders. As we understand it the court does not in any manner attempt to modify this provision of the statute and that it is in full force and effect.

"We therefore advise you that all printed matter circulated in dry territory of any character whatever, the effect of which is to solicit orders for intoxicating liquors, which should be ascertained from all of the facts and circumstances surrounding the advertisement, would be a violation of the law and if the concern circulating the advertisement is a corporation it would violate that provision of the statute which makes it an offense for any corporation to violate any provision of the law and subject such corporation to a penalty suit. Where newspapers carry advertisements for liquor, which advertisement proposes to solicit orders in dry territory, and the newspaper is a corporation, we think under proper pleading such corporation could be subjected to penalty suits under that provision of the law above referred to.'

"We are very glad you are looking into this matter, and hope that suits will soon be instituted testing out this part of the law which in the opinion of this department remains in tact. Very sincerely yours,

"W. A. KEELINK, Assistant Attorney General."

SHOOTS WIFE WHEN HE SEES HER SITTING IN MAN'S LAP

Cabaret Singer Figures In New York Tragedy Involving Woman's Brother

By Associated Press.

New York, Jan. 4.—Mrs. Francis Collins was shot and killed early today at her home where she lived with her husband, Willis mand her two brothers. The husband is in jail charged with murder. Collins, who is a cabaret singer and his wife quarreled early in the evening. When he returned home he heard her voice in an adjoining bedroom. He went to the door, peeped through a keyhole and saw her sitting in a man's lap. Collins demanded admission and it is charged fired through the panel of the door. Mrs. Collins was fatally injured. The man in whose lap she was sitting was said to be her brother, George.

CHRISTMAS VACATION AT A. & M. COLLEGE ENDS

By Associated Press.

College Station, Texas, Jan. 4—Students of the Agricultural & Mechanical College returned to their college work today after the holiday recess. The school closed Dec. 19 to Jan. 4.

PESTILENCE IS SPREADING IN BELEAGUERED PRZEMYSL

Sorties By Members of Garrison Lack Vigor and Provisions Are Believed Short

By Associated Press.

Lemberg, Galicia, Jan. 4.—(via Petrograd and London) It is reported here that pestilence is spreading in the city and among the garrison of Przemayl which is now almost without provisions. Ineffectual sorties still continue from Przemsyl but they are less vigorously pushed. This is due, it is thought, to the garrison's knowledge of the failure of the Austrian relief forces to break through the Russian lines.

PETROGRAD CLAIMS MINOR SUCCESSES

REPORT SAYS GERMANS WERE REPULSED ALONG BZURA RIVER

SEVERE BAYONET FIGHTING

Continued Progress In Galicia and Against Austrians Is Also Reported

By Associated Press.

Petrograd, Jan. 4—An official communication tonight by the general staff of the Russian army regarding the fighting in Poland and Galicia says:

"A strong artillery combat is in progress all along the front on the left bank of the Vistula. The attempt of the Germans to gain ground in certain places in the region of the Bzura river was without success. On the night of January 2 we discovered the passage of Germans across the Bzura in the vicinity of Kozloss and Biskoupti. Having watched the concentration of the enemy's forces one of our glorious regiments surrounded the regiments. They attacked them with the bayonet without firing a shot and in a hand to hand struggle which followed killed several hundred men. The survivors saved their lives by surrendering.

"About 3 p. m., on January 2 a brigade of German infantry attacked our position near Borjimow southeast of Billmow but the German assault was repulsed with enormous losses by the fire from several batteries and a counter attack made with the bayonet. Desperate fighting occurred during the night of January 2 continuing until daylight northeast of Mlawa where we succeeded in dislodging the enemy from some of the trenches which they had previously taken. South of the Pilica river fighting took place at Mirire and Geschek west of Inowlodz and also southeast of Malakoszez near Volmine where we repulsed all attacks of the enemy.

"In Galicia the fighting around Gorlics and Kaliszyn continues. In the region of the Uzsok pass we made progress. We drove back the enemy who fled in great disorder. We captured 2,600 prisoners and some mitrailleuses. In their retreat to Uzsok the Austrians abandoned arms and ammunition. Our offensive in Bukowina is progressing."

COURT BILL INDORSED BY BAR ASSOCIATION TODAY

Committee Appointed To Present It To Legislature—Members To Go To Austin

The Wichita County Bar association this morning endorsed the bill for the new district court here, drafted by the committee and published in Sunday's Times, and appointed the same committee to present it before the legislature.

The committee was authorized to call for volunteers from members of the Bar association and citizens to go to Austin to help in getting the matter before the legislators. Citizens and members of the bar also were asked to write to any members of the legislature with whom they might have influence, urging favorable action on the bill.

To meet the claim that is being urged in some quarters that the congested docket is a thing that was deliberately brought about to secure an additional court here, District Clerk A. F. Kerr has been asked by the committee to go through the file dockets for the last four years and furnish the number of new cases filed for each term of court.

JUDGE AKIN PRESIDES AT HIS FIRST TRIAL TODAY

Hears Contested Divorce Case From Friberg As First To Be Tried Before Him

Judge Akin presided over his first trial as judge of the 30th judicial district this morning in the old jail building, while county court was held in the district court room. The county court was engaged in finishing up a damage suit case begun last week. As the case to be heard in the district court was divorce suit not requiring a jury, Judge Akin gave way to the county court and took his court over to the old jail. The suit was that of C. O. Jennings vs. Reta Jennings. The couple were formerly residents of the Friberg community. Mrs. Jennings is contesting the suit filed by her husband and is represented by Attorney Liston of Pawnee, Oklahoma and Hon. Lindsay Bibb of this city.

BIG SPINACH SHIPMENT IS MADE FROM AUSTIN

Austin, Texas, Jan. 4.—The first shipment of spinach this season started for northern cities last Friday when a car load valued at $1200 was shipped from a plantation near here. It is estimated 200 cars of spinach will be shipped from this vicinity this year as against 109 cars last season. Five million cans of spinach has been contracted for with one plantation here for 1915.

STOCK EXCHANGE IN LONDON REOPENS

BUSINESS IS RESUMED WITH VERY STRINGENT RESTRICTIONS

TRADING DECIDEDLY CURTAILED

Aliens Unable To Furnish Sufficient Proof Are Excluded From Floor

By Associated Press.

London, Jan. 4—The London stock exchange reopened for business today after being closed since July 30. Severe restrictions were placed on trading to prevent anything approaching panic-selling or the unloading of securities by hostile countries. The session opened with cheers and to the strains of the national anthem, sung by a rather smaller attendance than usual.

Aliens unable to satisfy the committee they have severed all connection with foreign countries were excluded. Several English members appeared in khaki. There was no shouting of bids across the house and business was on a strictly cash basis. The committee decided to allow dealings only between the hours 11 and 3 inside or outside the stock exchange. There will be no street dealings in securities at the present time.

The general opinion that the restrictions to trading would curtail business to a considerable extent was borne out during the first half hour. Not a single bargain occurred in Americans and only a few of those securities appeared.

EFFECTIVE CANNONADING IS MENTIONED BY FRENCH

Tell of Success Over Germans In Artillery Engagements—Some Gains In Alsace

By Associated Press.

Paris, Jan. 4.—The French war office gave out an official statement in Paris this afternoon as follows:

"From the sea to the Oise the day passed in almost complete calm. The weather was rainy. There were artillery exchanges at some points of the front. In front of Noulettes our heavy artillery reduced the German batteries to silence. On the Aisne and in Champagne the cannonading was particularly violent. Our batteries showed their superority and brought under their fire reserve forces of the enemy.

"We became possessed of several points of support held by the Germans in the region of Perthes and Mesnil-les-Hurlus between the Argonne and the Meuse as well as on the heights of the Meuse there was intermittent cannonading. An effort made yesterday morning by our troops to occupy Douerville did not succeed. Our advance continued in the forest of Lepertrie which is to the north of Pont-a-Mousson.

"In upper Alsace we occupied an important height to the west of Cernay. A counter attack was repulsed. At Steinbach we have taken possession of the vicinity of the church and the cemetery."

LOCAL WHEAT CONTINUES AT $1.20 PER BUSHEL TODAY

Wheat continued at $1.20 a bushel in the local market today. Futures were higher at Chicago and if further gains are made tomorrow another advance in the local price is expected. Cotton futures were also stronger at New Orleans and New York and middling cotton was quoted here today at 7 1-4 cents.

PARDONS BY COLQUITT WILL TOTAL NEARLY 1,500

By Associated Press.

Austin, Texas, Jan. 4.—When the secretary of state's department completes the task of compiling the number of pardons granted by Gov. O. B. Colquitt, it will disclose, according to opinion in official circles, that Colquitt has broken all previous records in decreasing the population of the penitentiaries. It is believed the total will reach nearly 1,500, including conditional pardons.

TO SERVE REFRESHMENTS AT MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Simple Menu Planned For Chamber of Commerce Session Wednesday Night

Light refreshments of sandwiches, coffee, etc., will be served at the Chamber of Commerce meeting Wednesday night. B. J. Bean will donate the coffee and other parts of the menu. Aside from the election of directors for 1915 there will be no formal program although impromptu talks are expected from a number of members. It is planned to hold the meeting in the Elks hall.

MARKED GAIN TODAY IN COTTON MARKET

ADVANCE OF MORE THAN $1.50 RECORDED AT NEW ORLEANS

SEVERAL CAUSES CONTRIBUTE

Heavy Outside Buying and Large Tonnage Bookings Are Responsible For Gain

By Associated Press.

New Orleans, Jan 4.—Cotton today made the greatest advance it has in one day since trading was resumed on the local exchange. The most active months of the trading up to noon went 26 to 32 points over last week's close a gain of more than $1.50 per bale on the strongest months. March rose to 7.83 as compared with the low level of 6.94 made during the long decline which followed the beginning of the European war.

The advance was caused by heavy buying by outside interests, continued long transactions in the spot department, heavy booking of ocean tonnage by cotton exports and the better reports from the stock market.

WHEAT MAKES NEW HIGH RECORD TODAY

TOP PRICES SINCE OPENING OF EUROPEAN WAR ARE REACHED

STOP ARGENTINE COMPETITION

South America Will Be Able To Ship Compartively Little Grain To European Ports

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Wheat prices today over-topped all high records since the beginning of the European war. May delivery went to 1.32 3-4 per bushel. Shutting out of fear of Argentine competition was the immediate cause. Ocean rates from Argentine have advanced so sharply that the South American grain is no longer relatively cheap.

Besides higher quotations at Liverpool today showed the urgency of European demand. During the advance, a jump of 1 3-4 since Saturday night, trading appeared of a decidedly more lively character than recently has been the rule. Margins required on transactions are now only half what required not many weeks ago.

BOLD DAYLIGHT ROBBERY OF BANK IN LITTLE ROCK

Cashier and Others Are Locked In Safe While Men Get Away With $3,000

By Associated Press.

Little Rock, Ark., Jan. 4.—Three unmasked men at 1:40 o'clock this afternoon entered the Central Bank & Trust Company of this city locked the cashier, D. E. Walden, Teller T. E. Hale and a woman stenographer in the bank's vault and escaped with $3,000. Ten minutes later the three were released from the vault.

NEGRO BOY IS RUN OVER, LOSES PART OF BOTH FEET

Willie Thomas, a negro boy aged about fourteen years, lost the front part of both his feet when they were dragged under the wheels of a railroad car in the lower Fort Worth & Denver yards Sunday afternoon. His feet were mangled so badly that both had to be amputated at the instep. The accident happened at about 4:30 o'clock. The boy was trying to ride a southbound freight.

KATY TRAIN KILLS YOUNG MAN NEAR TAYLOR, TEXAS

By Associated Press.

Taylor, Texas, Jan. 4—Howard McDavid about nineteen years old of Elgin, was killed by a Katy train here shortly after midnight.

TWO NEGROES LYNCHED BY MOB IN ALABAMA TODAY

Charged With Being Implicated In Assassination of Farmer, Sheriff Is Overpowered

By Associated Press.

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 4.—Ed and Will Smith, negroes, arrested last Thursday charged with implication in the assassination of R. A. Stillwell, an Elmore county farmer, were taken from the jail at Wetumpka, Ala., early today and lynched by a mob of 15 or 20 men. About 1:30 o'clock this morning a mob of men masked and armed entered the jail, overpowered Sheriff Jackson bound him to a chair and forced a negro trusty to unlock the cells of the two negroes

TEXAS INDUSTRIAL CONGRESS PRIZES

TOTAL OF $10,000 IS TO BE AWARDED DURING THIS YEAR

TO COMPETE IN NINE CLASSES

No Award to Be Made for Cotton—Announcement Is Made at Dallas Saturday

Special to The Times.

Dallas, Texas, Jan 4—The Texas Industrial Congress has issued its annual announcement of $10,000 in prizes for the best results during 1915 in farming, gardening and stock feeding contests as follows:

Class A—Four-crop model farms; an acre each of cowpeas, cotton, corn and kaffir, milo or feterita; $1,500 in prizes.

Class B—Best acre of corn; $1,000 in prizes.

Class C—Best acre of cotton; no prizes offered this year.

Class D—Best acre of kaffir, milo or feterita; $1,000 in prizes.

Class E—Best acre of peanuts; $1,000 in prizes.

Class F—Best steer not over three years old when finished; $1,000 in prizes.

Class G—Best baby beef not over twelve months old when finished; $1,000 in prizes.

Class H—Best hog not over twelve months old when finished; $1,000 in prizes.

Class I—Best acre-yields of wheat, oats, rye, or barley on not less than five acres; $1,000 in prizes.

Class J—Best gardens; $1,500 in prizes divided into four parts of $375 each for best rural and graded schools, best high schools, best home plots, and best vacant city lots.

Entry may be made without any cost in any class a person is qualified to enter. The money prizes of the congress are worth earning, but its main prize of learning to produce the largest possible field crop or garden or greatest gain in live weight at the least expense is the most valuable and lasting of all. Every reader of this article owes it to himself or herself to enter this contest and learn by actual experience how much he or she can do in comparison with others. Write to the Texas Industrial Congress at Dallas, Texas.

FIGHTING IS IN PROGRESS ALONG CAUCASIAN FRONT

Russia Claims Turks Have Been Repulsed and Many of Them Taken Prisoners

By Associated Press.

Petrograd, Jan 4.—An official communication from the Russian general staff in the Caucasus gives details of the fighting in the region of Seri-Kamysh in Trans-Caucasia. The statement follows:

"In the region of Seri-Kamysh on January 1 the great battle continued, obviously to our advantage. The enemy, however, continued to offer an obstinate resistance. We captured the 50th regiment of artillery almost complete including the commander and 50 officers. The total of Turkish prisoners amounts to 5,000 soldiers, 400 officers and several surgeons. We also captured six pieces of mountain artillery, fourteen machine guns and ammunition.

"The next day the fighting here was still going on. Our troops recaptured some positions the Turks had occupied and took three machine guns and more than 700 prisoners. At one point a company of a Caucasian regiment was dispersed by bayonet charges while two Turkish companies were cut to pieces by artillery fire.

"Our troops are operating under conditions exceptionally painful on account of the rain and snow in a high altitude. The morale of our soldiers is good and they fight with ardor."

PRICES ARE ADVANCED IN EASTERN OIL FIELDS TODAY

Pennsylvania Crude $1.50—First Rise Recorded Since Last August In Market

By Associated Press.

Pittsburg, Jan. 4.—An advance of five cents a barrel in the principal grades of crude oil was announced here today at the opening of the market by the West Penn Oil Company making prices as follows: Pennsylvania crude $1.50, Mercer Black and Newcastle $1.00; Cabell $1.10; Somerset 90 cents; Ragland 70 cents; Corning was advanced ten cents to 95 cents. This is the first advance recorded since August 20 when Pennsylvania crude, the basis of the market dropped to $1.45 after a long series of declines beginning when oil sold at $2.50 per barrel. Renewed activity of all eastern Ohio, Western Pennsylvania and West Virginia field is expecte das a result of today's prices.

PROGRESS BY FRENCH AND RUSSIANS INDICATED TODAY

Results In Poland Still Declared Indecisive, However—Turks Campaign Progressing

GERMANS LOSE TOWN OF STEINBACH IN ALSACE

Petrograd Claims Failure of German Attacks In Poland—Russian Invasion Of Hungary Expected

By Associated Press.

London, Jan. 4.—The capture by the French of Steinbach, a small Alsatian town near Thann, is admitted in today's statements from the Berlin war office. The official statement about the fighting in the east are utterly irreconciliable. In the west the unprecedented wet weather precludes operations which could give decided advantage to one side or the other.

The activity of the Turks in the Caucasus seems to be assuming an increasing importance, judging from the attention the Petrograd official communications are devoting to this region. Although not admitting that the Turks have been victorious, it is conceded that they are fighting with great valor and stubbornness in the vicinity of the fortified town of Seri-Kamysh. The Turks claim to have taken this position. Russia, however, does not admit this and says the Turks have suffered enormous losses. Comparing the Turkish and Russian statements, it would seem that the Turks at the present time are making some headway, although both sides are losing heavily, as their troops flounder and fight through the deep snow and in the bitter cold of these high altitudes.

The battle of the rivers in Poland has not yet come to an end, the Germans say they have taken Borjimow, a strong Russian position east of Lowicz and a step nearer Warsaw. This the Russians contradict, flatly saying the German assaults there have been repulsed with heavy losses and that otherwise they have been held at bay. Petrograd professes to see the end of the battle of the Polish rivers and a concentration of German forces at some other strategic report in a renewed attempt to break through, but like the predictions of what this side or the other purposed to do in Belgium and France, this must be classed as a guess.

It is true that the Russians have taken another pass over the Carpathian mountains; the invasion of Hungary in real force should be in the opinion of British observers soon to be a reality. Up to the present time detachments of Russian cavalry have crossed these mountains, but there never has been an invasion in strength.

Further developments in Albania have been hanging fire since the Italian occupation of Avlona.

Market Reports

New Orleans Cotton.

By Associated Press.

New Orleans, Jan. 4.—Spot cotton steady. Sales on spot 360. To arrive 5525. Middling 7¼.

Chicago Future.

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Jan. 4—Highest prices reached in years were scored today in the wheat pit here. The reason was the virtual certainty that at least at present Argenine shipments to Europe would be much smaller than the generous size of the crop as reported recently had seemed to warrant. Prices opening one to three fourths up. Corn rose in sympathy with wheat. The opening varied from ½ to 7-8 higher. Oats showed independent strength. The rise was thought to represent a considerable amount of export business. Wheat closed strong. Corn closed steady. Closing Wheat, May 1.34½, July 1.22. Corn, May 75 3-4; July 76 3-8. Oats, May 55; July 53 1-8.

New York Cotton.

By Associated Press.

New York, Jan. 4.—The cotton market made new high ground at the opening today and business was active with the realizing old longs well taken by fresh buying inspired by the firmness of Liverpool and the firm showing of the southern spot market Saturday. First prices here were 7 to 10 points higher with July contracts selling at 8.41 or fully a cent a pound above the low level of last month. Fluctuation were somewhat irregular during the middle of the afternoon but prices held steady within 4 or 5 points of the best. Cotton closed firm. Jan. 7.95, March 8.12; May 8.31, July 8.49; October 8.73.

Kansas City Grain.

Kansas City, Jan. 4—Wheat No. 2 hard 1.24 to 1.26; No. 2 red 1.25. Corn No. 2 mixed 68 3-4; oats No. 2 white 49½ to 51.

Fort Worth Livestock.

Fort Worth, Texas, Jan. 4—Cattle receipts 5,500, steady. Beeves $5.50 to $7.25. Hog receipts 2,000, ten to fifteen cents lower. Bulls $6.50 to $7.20. Sheep receipts 1,000, steady. Lambs $7.50 to $8.15.

$200,000,000 LOAN FOR ITALY FULLY SUBSCRIBED

Rome, Jan 4. The loan of $200,000,000 arranged for by the government for use in connection with its military preparations has been fully subscribed according to all indications.

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SAYS RESOLUTIONS ARE WORTH WHILE

PURPOSES IN MAN'S HEART COUNT, SAYS FIRST M E PASTOR

SECOND SERMON ON SUBJECT

Urges Making of Worthy Resolutions and Keeping of Them, For New Year

Rev C C Smith, who preached Sunday night of last week upon the folly of making idle resolutions for the New Year, spoke on New Year' resolutions again last night but approached the subject in a different manner, pointing out the value of good resolutions It was the purpose in man s heart, he said that counted before the Almighty as much as the things he actually achieved The pastor urged worthy righteous resolutions for the New Year His text was

Thou didst well that it was in thy heart ' II Chronicles 6-8 A summary of the sermon follows

Last Sabbath we were considering a kindred subject, one relating to purposing but approached rather from a negative standpoint This evening I wish to consider more from a positive viewpoint our privilege of purposing and the good which may be derived from it The textual incident is taken from the great dedicatorial address made by King Solomon at the completion of the temple in Jerusalem This temple was Solomon's life work and now at its completion it was being dedicated to Jehovah with fitting splendor and deepest earnestness Solomon recalled the beginnings of the temple and realized what influence the thought of rearing a house for Jehovah as conceived in the heart of David his father had had upon the actual building of the temple He recognized that the temple idea was born in the heart of David even if the execution of the plan had been left to him He reviewed before the people the leadings of Jehovah in the matter and recalled that God had spoken to David and told him that it was a good thing that he had purposed in his heart to build a temple even though he himself were not allowed to finish the task This is a good illustration of the fact that a man of worth can be a power for good even beyond his actual life Every man who has been seeking to live well at all has some regard for the effect of his life His work will live after him David was a warrior a man of blood not of choice I think, but of necessity It was his task to unify the kingdom so that the temple building might be accomplished He did well in the sight of Jehovah because he purposed in the right direction even though his purpose was not fully accomplished in his day He laid plans which others completed He impressed himself upon the future in this way and it was well for Solomon that he did The glory of Solomon s reign could not have been so marked had David failed in doing his work

Good Intentions.

"Consider then the possible effects of right purposing. Some one has said, 'Hell is paved with good intentions' The meaning of this proverb evidently is that so many people make worthy resolves and then fail to keep them We might better say heaven is paved with good intentions because only he who intends he who purposes ever gets to heaven or anywhere else worth while We get nowhere by accident It is better to purpose on something worth while and then after worthy effort lose in the struggle than not to try at all If we lose in pursuit of the worthy we have well done that it was in our hearts It is better to have the consciousness of divine approval saying to us you did well in that you sought to accomplish something worthy even if your powers were too weak and your days too few The purposing man is an optimist and it seems to be generally agreed that only people of this general temperament are worth much to society The purposing man is constructive in character He is a builder of temples Many aircastles crystallize into temples If the optimistic purposer is not privileged to complete his work he may perchance project his purposes down into another generation which will be able to complete what he has contemplated

'Purpose is interwrapped with morals We are living scarcely above the animal plane unless our life is purposeful Impulse and instinct govern the animal Man is morally obligated to live on a higher plane Of course in all this we are not considering that shallow wishing that sometimes passes for purposing There is a wide difference between wishing and willing We are talking about people who have *manhood* enough to purpose And after all in the sight of God the purpose is the big thing It is what we intend to do that pleases or displeases God This is plainly taught in His word He does not need the actual achievement in order to know what we would do if we could He does not need the actual achievement to improve his material universe He pronounced the world very good before man undertook to conform its surface If he were particularly concerned about having a temple in Jerusalem he could send legions of angels to build one fairer than Solomon s He himself is master architect and builder of all the universe

Purpose vs. Achievement

What God was building in Jerusalem was not so much a temple as he was building David and Solomon and a host of people devoted to his worship The temple has been long since crushed into the dust but David and Solomon abide He does not need our material achievements but he does need our worthy purposing in order to build us into the sort of people we should be Intelligent effort to some worthy end is commendable. We may fail of ultimate achievement but the purposing is well and we may contribute something by which others will succeed There was a man in New York State who built a biplane some time ahead of the Wright Brothers But he could not fly it He tried repeatedly but invariably fell into the lake He died without ever flying his machine Recently, however one of the expert bird men took that same machine and without a single alteration in mechanism circled the lake easily several times This man was working in the right direction even though he fell somewhat short of achievement. So in living it is well for us to be purposing in the right direction even though we come somewhat short of perfection. God will say thou didst well that it was in thy heart We attach no moral significance to the accidental

An accident happens which takes the life of some one If it is plainly an accident there is no legal or moral responsibility The reverse is equally true If it were conceivable that we should happen to do something noble without purposing to do it that deed is likewise accidental and we can claim no honor for the deed A great many people that are accounted very worthy simply inherit all that they possess of wealth and position and throughout all their lives are not guilty of executing a single worthy purpose The accident of birth has located them and they deserve no credit for any achievement of their own Some very humble person who purposes to do well and because of restricted circumstances is unable to fulfill that purpose has far more credit before the One who deals only with motives

Step in Right Direction.

"Good purpose therefore is the first step in the right direction Good purposing is the seed from which right action springs David was forestalled in his purpose to build the temple because he had been a man of blood Jehovah was seeking to raise up a nation devoted to peace Beyond the necessities of the day he did not encourage war and held up this great object les on before Israel to teach them the fundamentals of peace We are sometimes forestalled of God in our good intentions Circumstances arise that make it impossible for us to do as we would But God is aware of all hindering causes and credits us according to our purposing rather than according to our achievement Like every other faculty of our nature this faculty fades away unless used So many are living purposeless lives They have been living purposeless lives so long that they have become moral imbeciles For the lack of exercise the distinctive characteristic of personality is allowed to waste away and die What shame that we will not use that faculty of soul which most clearly differentiates us from the brute But says one life is so short and we can accomplish so little Why map out a large thing only to fail In the first place it is better for us since we are immortal to purpose because the self which purposes does not die with the body Then too posterity will reap the benefits of our larger work even though we do not live to enjoy victory Thou didst well that it was in thy heart to do a good work This approval of God will be worth while in the end

Have we purposed upon anything worth while for the coming year? We must keep that purpose strong and alive and be honest with it and it will be well for us that we have had it even though life proves too short and our strength too limited to accomplish our purpose We are entering upon a new year with many old opportunities What do you purpose to do with the new year which please God, we may all have?

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The Spirit's Gift

You gave unto me no glittering things
Like the jewels or rings
Or robes with shadowy lace bedight
Or feathery fans such as a knight
To his lady brings

The worth of your gifts can never be told
In silver or gold
No scales can measure nor words define
The good you did when your soul wrapped mine
In its ampler fold

You showed me a heaven and [illegible] me soar
Aye, love, you did more
You gave me the wings to make the flight,
And watched from your own empyrean height
Till I gained the door

Naut [illegible]

Recipe For Oyster Salad
(By Mrs W M Schaefer)

Pick over three small cans of oysters and drain off juice Chop fine one small head of cabbage and half dozen sour pickles Add one cup of melted butter juice of three lemons and as many crackers crushed as desired Dressing for salad Four eggs one scant cup of vinegar one teaspoon of mustard three tablespoons of sugar pepper and salt to taste Boil ingredients together and when cold pour over salad mixing well Garnish top with sliced lemons.

MEMBERSHIP RALLY OF CIVIC LEAGUE TUESDAY

Tomorrow, Tuesday Jan [illegible] will mark the close of the two month membership rally of the Civic League and at the meeting to be held with Mrs H L Hunter it is hoped that all ladies who have signed up with either Mrs Cullinan or Mrs Cravens the leaders will be in attendance Each member is also urged to bring one or more new members so that the work for the new year may be taken up enthusiastically and carried out in the same manner

D. A R MONTHLY MEETING WITH MRS O E MAER

For their regular monthly meeting the D A R s met Saturday afternoon with Mrs O E Maer as hostess The lesson for the afternoon the administrations of Monroe was led by Miss Young and an interesting program was carried out Mrs Maer gave a short talk on the life of Monroe and also gave a vocal selection that was much enjoyed Miss Ann Carrigan gave the names of the states admitted to the union under Monroe's administration and Miss Helen Beavers made a short talk on the Monroe Doctrine The chapter had with them Mrs Taylor of the Oklahoma City chapter who told in an interesting manner of the work accomplished by her home chapter The hostess served a delicious luncheon course at the conclusion of the program being assisted in entertaining by Mrs A D Anderson The guests present were Mrs Robertson visiting daughter from Abilene and Mrs Taylor of the Oklahoma City chapter Members present were Mesdames Wiley Blair P[illegible] R L Miller Maer W L Robertson Watts, Price Smith Misses Ann Carrigan Alice [illegible]nside and Helen Beavers

HEART PARTY FOR MISS DELPHYNE WYATT SATURDAY

A thoroughly delightful affair of the holiday season was the hospitality extended by Mr Wylie Wyatt and Miss Wyatt to a number of young people Saturday evening at the Westland honoring the younger daughter of the house Miss Delphyne home for the holidays from boarding school in San Antonio The occasion was in the nature of a heart party with dancing as a feature the latter part of the evening The decorations of the spacious dining room where the tables for the game were placed were in keeping with the heart idea and the cheerful [illegible] was also featured in the decorations together with a bit of Christmas green In the alcove at the entrance of the [illegible] room the punch table was placed in front of [illegible] and amid [illegible] Kewpies [illegible] smiled [illegible] for the [illegible] Kewpie [illegible] the various Kewpie characters [illegible] the Kewpie [illegible] careful of his voice and [illegible] represented Tally and couple numbers were marked by tiny red hearts placed on the cards and the inside of the folder contained the order of games Seven games were played and at the conclusion of the games guests were registered as to the number of candy hearts contained in a jar The prize for the correct guess a Kewpie adorned with an immense bow of red ribbon went to Wade Arnold The evening's favors a handsome stick pin for the boy and a silver coin holder for the girl went to [illegible] and Miss Anita Monroe A luncheon course in which the heart motif was repeated in the heart shaped sandwiches and in the individual iced cakes marked with a red heart was then served and the floor cleared for dancing which continued until a late hour Punch was served throughout the evening by Misses [illegible] Stokes and Pauline M[illegible] and the hostesses were also assisted in entertaining by Misses Grace Nolen Evelyn Hayle of Louisville and Kathleen Coffield Those enjoying this the final part of the holidays were Misses Marion Maer Louise Montgomery Louise Leicham Ellen Adele Robertson Anita Monroe Adele Addikes Lorna Shaw Lona Simpson Margaret Noble Margaret Burnside Alice Fon

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MONROE SEWING CLUB MEETS WITH MRS FRAZIER

The Monroe Sewing Club [illegible] Wednesday of last week with Mrs Frazier as hostess The afternoon [illegible] in the usual pleasant [illegible] hostess assisted by her daughter Alice served a dainty two course luncheon [illegible] Mesdames [illegible] club members [illegible] Faulks [illegible] Minor [illegible] Broadway [illegible]

ANNOUNCEMENT OF TULSA WEDDING RECEIVED HERE

Announcements have been received here as follows Mr and Mrs Charles McLaughlin announce the marriage of their daughter Odie and Mr C[illegible] R Long on Friday the twenty [illegible] of December one thousand nine hundred and fourteen Tulsa Oklahoma The [illegible] Mr and Mrs W G [illegible] Long with his parents resided [illegible] for several years removing late [illegible] spring to Tulsa and has a large circle of friends who will hear of his marriage with interest At present Mr Long is on the editorial staff of the Sapulpa Herald Sapulpa, Oklahoma [illegible] friends in this city will unite in offering the heartiest of congratulations to him and his bride

READY TO CONTRACT FOR HANDLING 1915 CROPS

Farmers Union Officials Point Out the Need for Taking Some Action at Once

[illegible] was given [illegible] headquarters of the [illegible] this city [illegible] Union holds a state [illegible] for Worth on February [illegible] organization stands [illegible] to enter into a [illegible] bankers and business [illegible] or individuals [illegible] sufficient money [illegible] take care of the 1915 and future cotton crops

[illegible] of the $12 [illegible] loan which has been widely heralded to the public as a relief for the difficulties of the cotton farmers the small relief granted through the buy a bale movement the incapacity of our legislative machinery to cope with the situation and the complete collapse of [illegible] effort put forth by government and the business interests to help the farmer [illegible] sound thinking people of Texas face to face with the urgent necessity for concerted action in solving our marketing problems

While the war is in a measure an emergency factor its elimination in no way diminishes the necessity for storage facilities and cheap money to properly market the crop

As the authorized representatives of the men who produce and own the cotton we invite men with money in Texas and out to finance the crop on the plans of the Farmers Union which organization is the pioneer in cotton holding movement We want to talk to men with money not men with wild cat schemes for raising money on our own property We want to deal with men who represent capital willing to build warehouses on assurance of reasonable compensation on the investment or who are able to finance the crop when stored by lending money at a reasonable rate of interest on cotton We have the cotton and we want to deal with the men who have the money The Farmers Union stands for cooperative business not speculative conversations

It is time to stop fiddling with the subject and get down to business and we invite men capable of doing things to address themselves to the task of helping the farmers of Texas and the South solve this monumental problem If we are to take care of the 1915 crop now is the time to be in

W D LEWIS President

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SEWER EXTENSION WORK UNDER WAY THIS MORNING

City forces this morning began digging dirt for the new sewer extension which is to serve the territory [illegible] south of the Wichita Valley track A large force of men were put to work but a number of applicants could not be started to work this morning because there were not enough [illegible] to go around It is the purpose to give work only to those living here All the excavation is to be done by [illegible] and Between four and five thousand dollars is to be expended

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It s this paper s candid observation that most people who protest they are neutral in this European war affair have worked themselves up to the point where they don t care which of the allies shall be permitted to lick Germany

Emperor William and King George have replied to Pope Benedict s suggestion that the warring powers exchange prisoners of war who are incapacitated for further fighting and both have agered to comply with the suggestion The other powers will likely make the same arrangement for exchange of prisoners

Three years of war has brought a famine in many Mexican cities That is just about what is going to happen in Europe but it is not going to take three years to bring it about The men who should be on their farms are forced to fight and the soil for the most part lies idle and produces next to nothing It may take something like a famine to bring that war to a close

As yet England has not replied to the complaint of the American government regarding the interference on the part of England of American shipping interests Doubtless she will be in no hurry about the matter In the meantime however Germany wants some of our cotton bad enough to offer from 15c to 20c per pound for it, but it is impossible to send it to Germany England however is getting all the American cotton she wants and at practically her own price Usually the freight on a bale of cotton from an American port to Bremen is only about $1.50 Now it takes $18.75 to pay the ocean freight on a bale of cotton from Savannah Ga to Bremen From inland points the rail freight, together with insurance and ocean freight is agout $30 per bale If our ships were permitted to traverse the seas the cotton producers of the South would today be receiving above 10c per pound for their cotton Yet there are some people who can t understand why the price of cotton is below the cost of production

COLQUITT'S RE EXPLOSION

On the eve of his retirement from office Governor Colquitt of Texas issues a statement in which he scathingly arraigns the administration of President Wilson branding it as the greatest failure of the day the tariff law as a blow to the country existing trust laws as farces and the foreign policy of the United States as imbecile

This is the same Gov Colquitt who did everything he could to involve this country in a war with Mexico and whose wild and flamboyant statements and actions so embarrassed the administration that its policy of watch right thinking men the world over was seriously hampered The contrast between the patient intelligent course of the president in that crisis with the impatient erratic unbalanced wild and wooly course of the governor of Texas caused the latter to lose his self control His latest effusion indicates that he has not yet found that self control without which no man can creditably administer a great office He that ruleth his own spirit is greater than he that taketh a city saith Holy Writ and this is not a bad answer to the folly of the governor of Texas

It is a pity that the South should have to suffer from the intemperance of such men as Governor Colquitt His statement appears in many papers all over the country and it will injure the credit of this section for many will believe what he says It was not a manly thing to do it did not require any courage to do it and Texas should be ashamed of her governor for having done it

DO WE NEED A LARGER ARMY AND NAVY?

Over one half the world is at war today Perhaps if America had a standing army of a quarter or half million fighting men and a navy three or four times as large as our present we too might be at war with some other power There is two ways of looking at this matter however While there are few who think we are missing a lot by not being better prepared for war the great majority believe that being unprepared is really the greatest blessing that we can hope to enjoy So far as we know there is no power that has the slightest idea of making war on us or taking any of our present possessions And as we want nothing more than we already have what s the use of taxing the people with something there is absolutely no use for that of a larger navy and larger standing army —Wichita Falls Times

That s what we say about increasing our army and navy if they are increased then we are sure to get into a scrap with somebody just as sure as 2 and 2 are 4 What d we want a big army and navy except for that? To protect our shores? Well yes But don t you think that we will do that anyway You can bet your last Buffalo nickle that Your Uncle will take care of himself —Abilene Reporter

COLQUITT AND THE EL PASO PLATFORM

In jumping on President Wilson and the National administration Governor Colquitt gets entirely off the El Paso Democratic platform in the writing of which he played an important part That document declares

We cordially and heartily endorse the National Democratic administration and congratulate the people of the United States upon the patriotic fidelity with which the administration has kept faith with the people and has passed into living laws promises made by our party in its national platform at Baltimore We believe that, having so thoroughly and persistently kept the faith, that administration is entitled to and will receive the endorsement support and assistance of all Democrats, and these we gratefully pledge for all the Democrats of Texas

Governor Colquitt participated in pre convention conferences of Mr Ferguson s friends at which this platform was drafted

He was a delegate to the El Paso convention that adopted it

He was an influential factor in that convention and could have been heard at any time he desired to speak

He heard the convention endorse the president and his administration and 'gratefully pledge all the Democrats of Texas to the support and endorsement of the National administration

He did not exempt himself from the list of those pledged by his party

At the time that endorsement was given the tariff law and the federal reserve law had been enacted the Mexican policy of the administration had been developed and its foreign policy was well known

The governor heard all these endorsed and sat mute if indeed he did not give affirmative assent

Four and a half months after all these things happened the governor circulated Texas and Northern papers and press associations with a bitter denunciation of the administration and the things it had accomplished

Why did not the governor turn loose his wrath against the president at El Paso?

Why did he wait four and one half months?

The date of the next senatorial election is four and one half months nearer now than it was when the El Paso convention met, do we hear some one say?

You guesed right the first time — Waco Morning News

Let s all determine to make 1915 the banner year for building a greater Wichita Falls, and the best way to do this is to become a paying and working member of our Chamber of Commerce There is lots to be done but without organization little can be accomplished

MANY INTERESTING NOTES ABOUT YOUNG NATION RUSSIA

Washington Jan 4 —Showing how Russia is larger than the entire continent of North America with the islands of the Caribbean thrown in how it occupies three fifths of Europe and two fifths of Asia how its Asiatic possessions are one and a half times as great as those of China and three times as great as those of Great Britain how it comprises one sixth of the landed area of the globe and one tenth of the world s population Gilbert H Grosvenor director and editor of the National Geographic Society has just furnished to nearly 3 0,000 members of that organization with a striking pen picture of Young Russia—A land of unlimited possibilities

After giving an impression of the diversity of the origin of its peoples who come from the Orient and the Occident the frigid north and the tropic south of its range of climate which gives the Palm Beach touch to its Crimea and the breath of the north to its White Sea region of its vast agricultural wealth of the wide varying aspirations of its peoples which differ as greatly as those of the Poles and the Mongols as those of the Confucians and the Jews as those of the Tartars and the Lapps and of the vastness of the geographic limits of the Empire Mr Grosvenor says

Outlets Are Few

But with all its geographic greatness Russia is about as poor in rat... outlets to the world as the smallest of the countries of the earth Holland could be hidden in the vast reaches of the Russian plain almost as a needle in a hay stack yet Amsterdam does more international business than all the ports of Russia together Not one free outlet to the open sea does European Russia possess except on the icebound shores of the Arctic Ocean The path from the Black Sea to the Mediterranean leads through the Bosphorus and the Dardanelles held by alien hands

Mr Grosvenor next shows how there lives within the boundaries of the Russian Empire enough people to duplicate the population of Germany Great Britain and France combined with enough left over to duplicate half the population of Austria Hungary Furthermore, if Russia grows from 1912 to 2000 as she grew from 1872 to 1912 her population then will be upward of six hundred million

He then continues From such a record of size of bigness in every thing we should expect Russia to be thing we should expect Russia to be with perhaps a thousand years of unhindered growth behind her But, as a matter of fact Russia is a youth among the nations compared with England a stripling whose full stature and breadth is still a subject of conjecture and speculation

Russia is young because she never has had a chance to grow until recent years Her geographical shape or condition was such that for centuries her people were constantly being enslaved or despoiled by stronger neighbors

50,000,000 Slaves Freed

After dealing briefly with Russia s remarkable history especially with the surprising reign of Peter the Great Mr Grosvenor shows that when Alexander II freed the fifty million serfs of Russia he released from bondage a population equal to that of the twelve leading states of the United States and a population more than twelve times as great as was freed by Lincoln s emancipation proclamation not very many months afterward Alexander bought 3,000,000 acres of land for them permitting them to buy it from the government on easy terms He thereby carried into effect the most extensive piece of agrarian legislation in history

Each village conducts its own internal affairs through town meetings and not through elected or appointed officials Their lands are held on the common ownership basis and is apportioned out for cultivation from time to time

'With the bulk of its crops raised by the peasantry and for the most part employing most primitive means of farming Russia is still able to produce a very large proportion of the world s food supply In 1913 it gave to civilization nearly a fourth of its wheat a full fourth of its oats a third of its barley and more than half of its rye That year its wheat crop was 200,000,000 bushels greater than our own Its oat crop equalled ours its barley crop was three times as great as ours and its rye crop twenty five times as large as ours

Russia has more horses than any other nation on earth with [illegible] 000 as compared with our 24,000,000 more sheep than any other nation with 80,000,000 as compared with our 50,000,000 nearly as many cattle with 51,000,000 as compared with our 59,000,000

Illiteracy Prevails

The latest authoritative information on Russian educational condition that for 1908 shows that only 211 out of every thousand people in the Empire could read and write and there were two illiterate women for every illiterate man With our hundred million population in 1912 we had an enrollment of 19,218,000 school children With her population of 172,000,000 Russia s total enrollment was 7,970,000 and 2½ of these were boys for every ten who were girls

And yet the first woman civil engineer in the world was a Russian and the educated woman of Russia enjoys a freedom equal to that of her kind in any other country In the entire world They are even allowed to become professors in men s universities and after twenty years of service are retired on pensions which continue during the lives of their husbands if they are married and are survived by the heads of their houses

The Tsar of Russia is a well paid ruler He receives the revenues from the Russian crown lands and their area is equal to that of one third of the United States Several years ago the imperial treasurer is reported to have advise the Tsar Your Majesty need have no fear of ever coming to feel the sting of poverty Financially you are solvent yourself With one hand you could buy out the American multi millionaires Morgan and Rockefeller and still have enough left to talk business with Baron Rothschild It is said that the Tsar was displeased at the flippancy of the holder of his purse string Whether the story is apochryphal or not it does not misrepresent the Tsar s wealth

The Part Religion Plays

I have seen the famous cathedrals of Europe the noted structures of France Germany, England Italy and Turkey—but was utterly unprepared for the splendor and brilliancy of St Isaacs at Petrograd with its pillars 50 feet high of lapis lazuli and malachite its altar rails or solid silver containing half a ton of this precious metal and its ikons of pearls studded with hugh diamond sapphires emeralds and rubies

His religion is very real to the Russian and his God is really omnipresent to him, he sees His Spirit everywhere and everywhere acknowledges it with the sign of the cross and the words Oh Lord have mercy or Glory be to Thee Oh Lord

HARDLY GOT THE MEANING

Bible Text, as Clerk Put It, Was Not Quite What Its Writer Had Intended It to Be

George Carter, a very just man, carrying on business in a small village, found it necessary one day to leave his establishment to the sole charge of John his assistant and as usual thinking it necessary to impress upon him the necessity of dealing fairly by his customers, left him with these words

'Will John if ever in doubt quote a text to yourself and you will find great help from it in your dealings

He had not been gone long before a lady walked into the shop and asked to see some shawls

John pulling one out from under the counter asked her how she liked it, stating that the price was two dollars It was a very nice one but she, being able to afford better asked to see others

John ready as ever fetched another out of the same box and, spreading his out on the counter states the price to be $3.50 Still she was not satisfied so fetching another she also out of the same box he asked her how she would like that it five dollars

The lady was pleased and would have that one

John flushed with his success on his master s return told him all

His master was very angry and asked him what Scripture quotation could have been in his mind when he cheated the lady that morning

John brightened at this and with full importance replied

She was a stranger and I took her in'

At The Theaters

"CALLING OF DAN MATTHEWS" TELLS ENTERTAINING STORY

The plays which do the most good in the world are those which set men thinking The task has been well accomplished by Harold Wright in the dramatization of his popular book The Calling of Dan Matthews The scene of the play is in the Ozark mountains in a little town called Corinth The hero is a young preacher and by the way is the son of our old friends Sammy and Young Matt whom we knew in The Shepherd of the Hills who comes to Corinth to be pastor of one of its churches At first he is well received Later in preaching the convictions of his own heart and in befriending Denny a poor boy and his mother and a poor innocent girl whose bad reputation certain persons in his church are largely responsible he is given his resignation as pastor and the most influential members of the church turn out to be the meanest and the lowest in the dramatization the story is brought out with dramatic force and strength that leaves absolutely nothing to be desired

The love story running through the [illegible] while one [illegible] this together with some extremely realistic and [illegible] scenes and situations make a play brimming over with [illegible] with a powerful punch

The Calling of Dan Matthews comes to the Wichita Theatre next Thursday January 7

The Gem

Alice Joyce is featured in a two part Kalem drama The Lynbrook Tragedy Mabel Trunelle Frank McGlynn and Robert Kegeris are featured in an Edison drama The Everlasting Triangle Santley man of the West and Philbin of the East love the same woman Kate, Stanley marries her and a short while after Philbin becomes embroiled in a gambling house fight and shoots a gambler He leaves and Santley and his wife live a quiet life until Santley decides to go on a long prospecting trip At this time Kate received a letter from Philbin, painting in glowing colors the delights of life in the East The lonely life tells on the girl and in desperation she writes him, telling him to come for her He comes and she leaves with him leaving for Santley her wedding ring and a note of explanation The husband returns unexpectedly a few hours later and follows them He discovers that they have taken the wrong trail which instead of leading to the railroad station leads straight to the heart of the desert He catches up with them his heart filled with vengeance He shoots two of the three horses and compels them to draw lots for the remaining one Chance favors Kate but she fails to reach the railroad station Thirst and the desert causes Philbin s end and Santley goes to his Maker with the name of the woman he had loved on his lips

The Empress

Richard Stanton and Rhea Mitchell are featured in The Master of the House, a two part Kay Bee Guy Winston owner of the Croesus Mines is captured while on an eastern business trip by Lois Herrington a society girl with a very ambitious mother and a parasite brother After their marriage the girl and her family use Winston as a mark running up scandalous bills which he pays without a murmur At last however he becomes tired of the humiliating figure he cuts in his own house He tells Louise that he is leaving for the West and wishes to know how soon she can be ready to go with him She only laughs at him He requests her to stay home with him that evening and she refuses Finally he ties her in a chair where she remains until noon of the next day before she gives in Conquered at length her first love for Winston revives As he is about to take the western express she comes to him, begging that he forgive everything and take her with him They leave Lois brother and mother in the East

The Lydia Margaret

Jack and Helen Dakota sharpshooters of note and Knight and Moore in A Comedy Flirtalogue make up the new vaudeville bill opening here today Judging from the press notices the bill is a superlative one Mary Fuller is featured in the movie program in The Heart of the Night Wind In The Heart of the Night Wind Mary Fuller comes to us in a real love story with a bigger plot and more action deeper mystery of hills sweeter sentiment and stronger passions than in any play she has so far appeared Adapted from the tremendously popular novel by Virgie E Roe, it is a delightfully wholesome domance of the forest and mountains the towering pines and rushing streams with Miss Fuller doing a role of winsome grace and beauty She is indeed the heart of the night wind a wild mys[illegible] little [illegible] who wins your affection and holds them

As to the staging of the play the Victor company under the direction of Walter Edwin went into the mountains of Pennsylvania where a wealth of atmosphere was secured Particularly fine and interesting are those scenes which show the logging industry as carried on by the rough wood cutters These scenes have all been cleverly worked into the story with other scenes of the shaded streams and the silent dells they make a background perfect in every respect But particularly is this a Mary Fuller picture It was because the book offered her such unusual chances that the Universal paid a handsome sum of money for the rights to produce it on the screen If you like the story of action of honest big passions of romance in the truest sense and with the most popular actress on the screen today enacting the lead role then you cannot afford to miss The Heart of the Night Wind

The Majestic

The enthusiasm and enterprise of the modern press agent handicap those employed to exploit in the newspapers the really worthy and great productions This appertains to every line of business particularly is it so in the 'movie world where each new production is lauded in the superlative degree With however the elite metropolitans of New York and other international centres enthuse over a motion picture such as Cabiria and support it for eight consecutive months in one theatre at prices equivalent to those charged for the latest successful musical dramatic entertainments there is an argument to its worth that speaks [illegible] and drowns the viperings of press agents

Such a tinding has been given Cabiria It is everywhere praised by theatregoers and critics alike as being the most wonderful creation ever placed on the screen It is perfection in every branch of that infant industry that has grown with such giant like strides Its author stands [illegible] of the [illegible] the producers are renowned for massive spectacles the actors have attained international fame and been admirably cast the incident appeals to the student and amusement seeker alike for they mirror the most stirring and momentous chapter of history at a time when Rome was about to begin her world conquest The photography was in the hands of a genius and is a revelation of clear smooth visions with many novel innovation

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Sheriff George Hawkins wired from St Louis this morning that he would leave there tonight on his way home with Frank Rembert Sr whom he is bringing here from McKeesrock Pa. Rembert will be placed on trial on an indictment for murder in connection with the death of Ed Hardwicke.

At the Empress Friday night the Wichita Quartet will sing a program of new songs 2 1tc

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Notice to the Public

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The eighteen months old son of Mr and Mrs J W Carter in the factory district died Sunday and was buried this afternoon in Riverside cemetery.

Pioneer Lodge No 49 K of P meets Tuesday night at 7 30 in New Hall, Henderson building. Installation of officers. T A Bradley, C C 1 2tc

Odd Fellows Notice

All members of Odd Fellows Lodge No 341 are requested to be present at the meeting Monday night to participate in the conferring of the second degree. Refreshments and other business of importance.

1 2tc R F DUNAWAY, Sec

Dr Bolding, dentist, office 206 Kemp & Kell Bldg. Phone 206. 61 tf c

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Anyone desiring crocheting or filling phone 942 1 3tc

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Dr H. A. Waller, dentist, room 207, K. & K. Bldg. Phone 836. 28 tfc

Notice to Stockholders.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Wichita State Bank will be held in its offices at Wichita Falls Texas January 12th, 1915, same being the second Tuesday in said month at 2 p m, for the purpose of electing directors and transacting such other business as may come before the meeting 88 tf c

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Associated Press News

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I have a thoroughbred Jersey bull for service. Fee $2 00. J S Gullahorn at Old Peter's Wagon yard 1 6tp

Ladies of the Christian church will serve dinner Saturday January 9, in the building formerly occupied by McCarty & Son. A rummage sale began January 4 in the same building 2 3t c

Notice O E S

Regular meeting of the Eastern Star Tuesday evening January 5. All members urged to be present. Visiting members in the city are invited to attend. Mrs H C Dakan W M. Mrs L C Hinckley, Sec 2 1t c

Don't fail to hear the Wichita Quartet at the Empress Theatre Friday night. New songs, new pictures 1tc

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SAY SOLUTION NOT IN DIVERSIFICATION

FARMERS UNION OFFICIALS DISCUSS MOVEMENT IN THIS STATE

CREDIT SYSTEM CHIEF DANGER

Texas Needs to be Freed of Its Evils First, They Say Before Adopting New Ideas

Special to The Times

Fort Worth Texas Jan 4 The following signed article has been given out from the headquarters of the Farmers Educational and Co-Operative Union of Texas in this city.

Much is being said on the subject of diversification in Texas and the Farmers Union has preached it in season and out and the organizations we have the honor to represent stand ready to co-operate with every movement looking to the practical solution of the problems of agriculture. Every farmer should live at home and every influence that encourages him to do so is a big [illegible].

While diversification is an important factor it is not the whole thing and it is one the farmer cannot solve unaided. The principal difficulty lies in the high rates of interest and a low price for our products and the solution of these problems require co-operation between the farmers, bankers and business men. To give a concrete example we will take Smith county where one of the undersigned recently addressed an audience of farmers and business men and came in contact with actual conditions as they now exist there. That county is noted for excellence in the [illegible] and [illegible] of its citizenship. It probably leads all other counties in diversification. Its peaches, tomatoes, cantaloupes and other vegetables have made it world famous and it is one of the banner counties in prize farming contests and it is there that the credit system flourishes and bears its most perfect fruit. Conditions there are in the main typical in many ways of agricultural conditions throughout the state as a whole.

Where Blame Rests

"We want to say here that we consider the credit merchant a victim as well as a beneficiary of our financial system and the farmer is not altogether blameless for bluntly wearing the galling yoke of usury which custom has placed upon his neck. The farmers in that county as well as those of many other counties have been caught between the voracious jaws of usury and low prices and crushed and they now lie writhing in agony.

The good women of Tyler are relieving the distress by assembling cast off clothing of the family and offering it to wives of the poorer farmers, some of whom, it is said, are glad to accept it. The high rate of interest has taken clothes off the backs of the families of many farmers and while their wives and children are shivering with cold, some of the farmers are mortgaging their crop, we are reliably informed as far ahead as 1920 in order to obtain credit. Such farmers are no longer free men; they are agricultural peons with mortgaged soul.

Does Smith county need a lot of book farmers to teach them diversification? We think not. That county needs patriotic business men and level headed farmers who will meet the issue squarely and co-operate in getting cheap money, and in building warehouses and financing the cotton crop. The farmers know as much about raising pumpkins, potatoes and peanuts as they do about raising cotton and they will raise them whenever there is a profitable market.

Too Much Theory Feared

The over zealous and well meaning city diversifiers who urge the farmer to imbibe freely and blindly of their advice are oftimes a worse enemy to the farmer than the usurer and there are many farmers in Texas today stranded by participating in theoretical folly.

We understand that a movement is on for city diversifiers to put on a whirlwind campaign using the press and a train load of agricultural orators to impress upon the farmer the importance of diversification. The Farmers Union stands for diversification along practical lines but opposes diversifying from a marketable product to one that cannot be marketed and the farmers of Texas can never hope to become either wealthy or intelligent through conversations with book farmers.

It is a favorite pastime of city farmers, many of whom have profited by the high rate of interest prevailing, to contribute toward the expense of sending out a train load of book farmers who spin agricultural yarns and present get-rich-quick schemes of farming that have never failed to break every farmer who tried them.

"We understand that it is proposed to start the train early in the morning dropping off speakers along the route and returning late at night to pick them up. We are especially interested in having them picked up as we fear many of these agricultural experts, if left to make a living on the farm would starve to death inside of ninety days.

Some Questions Asked

We want to ask some of the titled attaches to this proposed train a few questions. Will the peanut professor please say what the farmers are to do with the surplus goober crop now on hand and which cannot be sold at cost of production. These products were raised in many instances at the urgent insistence of city diversifiers who talked as though factories would spring up in every fence corner bidding for peanuts.

"During the past year we think it safe to estimate that one third of the vegetables rotted for want of a market. Shall we raise more? Why is it that these men who know so much about farming don't try plowing awhile and quit talking about it?

"The Farmers Union stands for conversations.

W D LEWIS President Farmers Educational and Co-Operative Union of Texas

PETER RADFORD Natl Lecturer Farmers Educational and Co-Operative Union of America

Belgian Hat and Other Novelties Among Fashions At Horse Show

New York, Jan 4 The Horse Show has been the attraction of a week in New York. The horses groomed until they shone and in the pink of training came first of course in the minds of the people but the clothes worn by the women came a close second.

Designers from all over New York assembled there to note what the society women favored for the event of the early winter and to temper their new designs accordingly.

The boxes were filled with a crowd of people dividing their attention between the horses and the clothes worn by other women. With fewer Parisian styles the trend of fashion [was] a question much more interesting to the greater number of people that it has ever been.

The suits which were the most prominent were those made with a coat having a long and rippling tunic. These were usually worn with the

fuller skirts which rippled out beneath them. On all were deep bands of something, fur usually and braid sometimes, to border the bottom of the tunic and skirt. This fur was often skunk, sometimes fitch, kolinsky or sable but the most popular was beaver.

A sand colored broadcloth suit made with a coat close fitting at the shoulders and flaring out at the knees had a skirt with a band of beaver around it at least fifteen inches wide and possibly as wide as eighteen inches.

The fuller skirts were in evidence showing that there is no doubt about the revival of the straight full skirts of crinoline days and among the coats was one which reminded me of the old fashioned dolmans.

A semi fitted effect is to be seen in dresses that is a distinct reminder of the princess dress. The illustration developed in sand colored broadcloth although far from being a princess shows a combined yoke and girdle which fits around the waist and hips in a princess manner. The dress is made without trimming, the only variation in its simplicity being the chiffon sleeves and the flaring collar of chiffon. The skirt flares out in the accepted fashion at the ankles showing the new breadth skirts are taking. Cloth covered buttons trim the yoke under the arms.

The second illustration shows a dress made on lines more similar to the princess. The dress is made of blue charmeuse with skirt and waist in one. At the waistline it is shirred into the outline of the figure. A sash of a darker shade of the same material is brought around the front of the waist and tied at a low waist line and serves to break the princess effect. Buttons covered with the same material as the sash fasten the dress down the front.

Sand color was the shade of many of the most stylish suits. One suit of sand color had a jacket that was rather close fitting, quite tailored in its effect, the skirt was mediumly full, cut circular and without any trimming. It was trimly short and showed shoes with the uppers and backs of sand colored cloth to match the dress and the front of the shoes of black patent leather. A cunning little round hat of sand colored velvet trimmed with a narrow band of beaver fur was worn with this suit which all in all was most complete from the soft crown of the hat to the sand colored heels of the shoes.

Velvet was in evidence in black and midnight blue. This fabric has been most fashionable all fall and winter for both evening and afternoon dresses and is much less trying in the deep blue which is so new than in the black. The soft quality of the velvet which is termed chiffon velvet is much more adaptable to draping than the velvets of old.

The black velvet hat has been extremely smart since last summer when New York startled even itself by wearing velvet toques in tropical weather. The black however is giving way to the dark [illegible]. Velvet hats are made in just the same way and trimmed in the same manner. The sailor shape is the most popular and the ostrich fringe is taking the place of the fringe like trimming of [illegible] for which was the rage in the fall.

The Belgian soldiers cap has been used as the basis for a charming little toque worn by a charmingly dressed young woman at the Horse Show. It was rather small in shape and flattened over the side of the head running to a point at the crown. A long straight quill ran straight up the back. It suits the fashionable coiffure very well indeed.

It is only once in a while in the history of dress that it has become ing to the young girl as at the present time. The tight skirt slashed to give room for walking had no place in the young girl's wardrobe. In fact she looked very much out of place in it. But the full skirts of the winter's mode with or without the long tunic are extremely appropriate to the slimness of youth. So is the long

Russian coat belted at the hips and the blouses which are an offspring of the Balkan middy, the jumper and the basque. The large flat hat is infinitely more becoming to the girl's face than the small severe ones which have been the rage and still are to a great extent.

Some of the serge frocks for wear at school are especially good for the little girl under twelve. They are often made with waist and skirt in one and unbelted. The waist is cut away beneath the arms and the front and back is cut in U shape. The edges of this frock are bound with wide black silk braid and a dainty little shirt of linen is worn beneath the dress in place of the conventional guimpe. The sleeves of this are long finishing with turned back cuffs which fasten with cuff links. A collar is made to turn over also and is finished with the links.

The coat which is made to button straight down the front with a wide rolling collar is decidedly suitable for a youngster. It is warm, comfortable and most becoming to the childish face.

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By Associated Press

St. Louis, Jan. 24.—Hands up! called a highwayman last night to Simon Spitzer. Spitzer looked into the muzzle of a revolver and complied. The robber took a watch and $20 from the victim's pocket. Then looked into the latter's face.

"Say, were not you in a store at Eighteenth and Market streets with five other men the other night when a guy came in and asked for the price of something to eat?" asked the highwayman.

"Yes."

"Well, then here's your watch and money. You're the fellow who gave me a dime when the other five turned me down." The highwayman returned the loot, pocketed his revolver and made off.

GROSS RECEIPTS TAX IS NOW BEING COLLECTED

By Associated Press.

Austin, Texas, Jan. 4.—Three thousand corporations in Texas subject to the gross receipts tax, have been given thirty days additional in which to pay the tax, which was due Jan. 1. The amount from all these corporations when paid, will reach about $200,000 for the quarter ending Jan. 1. Thirty days after Jan. 1 delinquents will be subject to a penalty of ten per cent of the amount taxed. The money collected from gross receipts tax goes to the general revenue fund. Railroads are exempt from the tax.

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Mrs. John Block of Charlie is visiting in the city

J. M. Bowen has returned from a visit to his old home at Homer, La

J. F. Peck of Sherman is in the city on business.

Mrs. W. C. W. Brown and daughter, Margaret, have returned from a holiday visit to Quanah.

George Woodruff and Wm Bonner have returned from Weatherford and Fort Worth.

T. B. Taylor and J. L. McConkey left this afternoon for Eastland, where they will attend court

Milton Clendinnin, editor of the Burkburnett Star, was a visitor here today.

T. B. Noble, Jr., returned to Bell Buckle, Tenn., yesterday to resume his studies.

Dr. L. P. Amason left this afternoon for New Orleans, where he will spend a month attending clinics and lectures.

Dr. J. T. Lee and wife of Munday arrived this afternoon for a visit with their son, Dr. Q. B. Lee, and family.

John Mackechney returned to Arlington this afternoon, where he is attending the Arlington Training School.

Mrs. L. A. Wade has returned to her home in Enfaula, Oklahoma, after a visit to J. L. Maxwell and family

Robert Huff, Jr., left today to resume his studies at Northwestern University, Chicago, after spending the holidays here.

Mrs. W. T. Boone, who has been spending the holidays with her son, T. R. Boone, and wife, returned today to her home at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brown returned yesterday from a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives at Texarkana and other Arkansas points.

Dr. A. B. Keil, who has been visiting his parents here, returned to New Orleans this afternoon, where he is an interne in the Charity Hospital

Mrs. T. B. Noble, accompanied by her daughter, Margaret, went to Fort Worth this afternoon, where the latter will enter the Texas Woman's College.

Dr. A. R. Prothro and family have returned from Chickasha, Oklahoma, where they spent the holidays with Mr. Prothro's mother and other relatives.

Harrison Bachman, after spending the holidays with home folks, returned to Fort Worth this afternoon, where he is taking a course at the Brantley-Draughon business college.

Miss Frances Urbane and Miss Lorena Accola, who has been her guest through the holidays, returned this afternoon to Columbia, Mo., to resume their studies in Christian College.

James Jennings, Earl Fain, Leslie Stringer, Pat Carrigan, Joe Keil and Edgar Gorsline left this afternoon for Booneville, Mo., where they are students in the Kemper military academy.

Dr. W. A. Darnell and wife of Whitesboro the the guests of their son, E. C. Darnell, advertising manager for the P. B. M. Co., for a few days. They are en route home from a visit to other relatives in Oklahoma.

J. E. Rayborn of Weatherford, who assisted at the Freear furniture store during the holiday rush, left today for Weatherford, and from there will go to Meridian, Miss., to sing at evangelistic meetings being conducted there by Rev. Martin.

Mr. E. W Grogan, merchant at Byers, was here today with his daughter, Miss Fannie, who is returning to school at Clarendon. Mr Grogan reports very prosperous conditions at Byers. There was not only an extraordinary cotton crop in the country around Byers, he says, but fifteen hundred bales of cotton have come across the river in Oklahoma to Byers to market. Wheat, he said, was looking as good as it did this time last winter, although some of the crop is not so far advanced as a year ago.

A number of Wichita Falls young people left this afternoon for schools and colleges after spending the holidays at home. Among them were: Miss Cora Lee Waggoner, to Southwestern University at Georgetown; Miss Icie Stringer, to T. C. U. at Fort Worth; Miss Inez Geary, to Dallas; Miss Beth Lowrance, to the Presbyterian College at Milford; Oscar Snider, to St. Basils at Waco; Miss Dorothy Beavers, to Trinity University at Waxahachie, and Miss Lelia Bell Anderson, to T. C. U.

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A jury is being empaneled in the district court this afternoon for the trial of Tom Smith, negro, charged with murder for the killing of his wife. A special venire of 100 talesmen was summoned. Only two jurors had been selected up to three o'clock this afternoon.

Judge Akin's first day of active work as judge in the 30th judicial district today is a busy one. In the morning he heard testimony in a divorce suit. This testimony was unfinished when court recessed at 12 o'clock and as there were witnesses from out of town. Judge Akin announced that he would hear testimony after 5 o'clock this afternoon in the case. At 1 o'clock the special venire called for a murder case reported Judge Akin will be busy in this case up to 5 o'clock.

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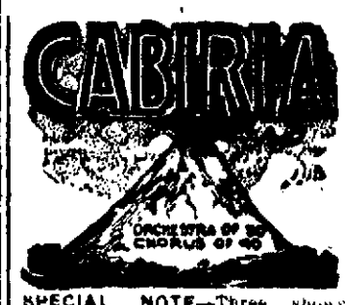

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